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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: SHUM, AR  
SUBJECT: DETENTION OF ALCIRA RODRIGUEZ DE CAMUSSO

REF: (A) STATE 41433 (B) 77 STATE 288838

1. UN HIGH COMMISSIONER FOR REFUGEES (UNHCR)  
LOCAL OFFICE IS SEIZED WITH SUBJECT CASE. THEIR  
ATTORNEY DESCRIBES THE CAMUSSO CASE AS THE MOST  
COMPLICATED MATTER HE HAS FACED IN ARGENTINA. IN  
THE LAST FEW DAYS UNHCR HAS MADE LEGAL DETERMINATION  
THAT MRS. RODRIGUEZ DE CAMUSSO IS A STATELESS PERSON.  
SHE WAS BORN IN FRANCE OF ARGENTINE PARENTS, BUT  
EVIDENTLY NECESSARY REGISTRATION TO ESTABLISH HER  
ARGENTINE CITIZENSHIP WAS NEVER COMPLETED.
  2. AFTER DISCUSSIONS BETWEEN UNHCR AND GOA, UN  
ATTORNEYS HAVE ACCEPTED ARGENTINE POSITION THAT  
SUBJECT IS NOT ENTITLED TO ARGENTINE PASSPORT.  
UNHCR IS SEEKING AN ARGENTINE JUDICIAL DOCUMENT CEERTIFYING  
SUBJECT'S STATELESSNESS WHICH CAN BE USED FOR FACILITATING  
HER RELEASE AND ONWARD TRAVEL. UNHCR IS HANDLING THE CASE  
ON THE BASIS OF HUMANITARIAN EFFORT TO REUNITE MRS. CAMUSSO
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WITH HER PARENTS WHO ARE RESIDING IN COLUMBIA WITH REFUGEE  
STATUS.

3. THERE IS NO HARD INFORMATION REGARDING CURRENT STATUS OF  
CAMUSSO'S CHILDREN. UNHCR CASE WORKER BELIVES THAT OLDEST  
CAMUSSO CHILD IS LIVING WITH PARENTS OF CHILD'S (PROBABLY  
EXECUTED) FATHER. IT IS BELIEVED THAT YOUNGEST CAMUSSO

CHILD WHO WAS BORN IN VILLA DEVOTO PRISON IN LATE 1977  
REMAINS UNDER MOTHER'S CARE IN PRISON. (EMBASSY NOTE: ARGENTINE  
PRISON REGULATIONS ALLOW MOTHER TO CARE FOR INFANT UP  
TO THE AGE OF 6 MONTHS.)

4. EMBASSY WILL CONTINUE TO MONITOR CAMUSSO CASE. UNCHR HAS  
BEEN RELUCTANT TO DISCUSS CASE DUE TO LEGAL DIFFICULTIES  
AND SENSITIVITY OF ITS ONGOING DISCUSSIONS WITH GOA.  
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